

PRESS RELEASE

The Throne Cup of Golf Celebrates Its 20th Edition

Rabat, July 22, 2025 – Under the effective presidency of **His Royal Highness Prince Moulay Rachid**, the Royal Moroccan Golf Federation (RMGF) and the Hassan II Golf Trophy Association (ATH) are organizing the 20th edition of the Throne Cup, to be held from July 28 to August 2, 2025, at the Royal Country Club of Tangier.

True to its tradition of rotating venues, the Throne Cup returns to the north, specifically to the fairways of the Royal Country Club of Tangier, the birthplace of Moroccan golf. Over a century old, this course, designed at the end of the 19th century, is the first golf club in the Mediterranean basin and one of the oldest in Africa.

This 20th edition marks a return to the original format of the competition, exclusively reserved for the sporting elite of Moroccan clubs. Twelve clubs will compete to succeed Royal Golf Dar Es Salam, the defending champion who won on home turf in a special edition. As a reminder, under the High Instructions of **His Royal Highness Prince Moulay Rachid**, the competition has continued to evolve, welcoming juniors in 2023 and integrating seniors in 2024 for an edition that united all levels and all ages. It is worth noting that since then, these two categories have had their own dedicated events on the national calendar.

Year after year, the Throne Cup grows in intensity and quality. Driven by values of fair play, team spirit, and belonging, it now gathers the Kingdom's top golfers, many of whom are ranked in the World Amateur Golf Ranking (WAGR). A true barometer of national level, the competition also reflects the rise of club academies, which are training a new generation of players and increasingly feeding the participating teams. Clubs have also strengthened their structures, organizing their squads to meet the challenge of what has become the premier team championship.

For two decades, the Throne Cup has owed its longevity to the dedication of clubs and the players who are its main protagonists. Their continued commitment is a testament to the collective attachment to this competition, now a flagship event in Moroccan golf.

See you at the Royal Country Club of Tangier to celebrate twenty years of passion, competition, and golfing pride.



About the Royal Moroccan Golf Federation (FRMG):

Presided over by His Royal Highness Prince Moulay Rachid since January 2018, the Royal Moroccan Golf Federation (FRMG), founded on March 12, 1960, is a sports association whose mission is to make golf accessible to all, in all its forms. It ensures compliance with the ethical rules set by the international sports movement, particularly the International Golf Federation and the African Golf Confederation.

Its missions include:

- Promoting and developing golf practice
- Organizing and managing competitions
- Regulating golf practice
- Training and professionalizing golf-related professions
- Supporting professional players
- Managing elite-level golfers

About the Throne Cup:

The Throne Cup was inaugurated on November 18, 2004. This sporting event was first held on the majestic greens of the Royal Golf Dar Es Salam in Rabat, marking the dawn of a new era for amateur golf in Morocco.

Over the years, the Throne Cup has established itself as a true catalyst for the growth of golf in Morocco. The increasing number of participating clubs reflects the growing appeal of this event. The Kingdom's best female and male players all come together with the goal of winning the title of Best Club in Morocco.